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 THE USE OF THE MASS MEDIA IN STRENGTHENING PEACE AND
 INTERNATIONAL UNDERSTANDING AND IN COMBATING WAR
 PROPAGANDA, RACISM AND APARTHEID

REF: A) STATE 188615; B) STATE 125614

1. POLCONS AUGUST 10 RAISED SUBJECT WITH OLLI MENNANDER,
MFA DIVISION DIRECTOR FOR INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS.
EMBOFF GAVE BACKGROUND ON SUBJECT, EXPLAINING USG CONCERNS
ON MATTER AND DESIRE FOR HELP IN BRINGING TO THE ATTENTION
OF UNESCO DIRECTOR GENERAL THE STRONG SUPPORT FROM MANY
COUNTRIES FOR POSTPONEMENT OF CONSIDERATION OF DRAFT
DECLARATION. EMBOFF DREW ON ARGUMENTS CONTAINED REFTELS,
ESPECIALLY USG BELIEF THAT DRAFT REPRESENTS RETREAT FROM
HELSINKI FINAL ACT IN AREA OF FREE FLOW OF IDEAS AND
INFORMATION.

2. MENNANDER EXPRESSED INTEREST BUT WAS NONCOMMITTAL
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